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NOTICE IS HIGHERY GIVEN THAT
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the constable of Nandmo, Vancouver Island, and
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1. Detween Thomas James Skinner of the out, and James Yates and Joseph Johnson Soute of the other part, has this day been register pursuance of the Bankruptey Act, 1862. I room who have not sent in their claims are ested to do so forthwith to Mr. MAIN, Governith the control of the street.

YATES STREET, HAS JUST BEEN NEWLY FUR-December 28th, 1863.

Mattrasses, Double and Single:

de21 1m MICHOLAS

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We'll greet their aid with generous pride, And a hearty right good cheer. And welcome the public, one and all, To our tervices through the year. So come along—be not dismayed, Our terms are not severe; A moderate charge and better work, Cur motto in th' ensuing year. We would not harm th' opposing trade, Nor give it cause to fear; But gladly move in peace with all Throughout the next New Year.

Infougnout the next New Year.

Now, one word more before we part:
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Notice.

5th December, 1863, Victoria, V. I.

NOTICE.

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A purchasing a certain Share in the AURORA
CLAIM, William Creek, from Jules Bavid, as said
David holds the Claim for the performance of a
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no39 WILLIAM H. WOODCOCK.

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IN BANKRUPTCY.

THE ABOVE REWARD WILL BE In the Supreme Court of Civil Justice of Vancouver Island. Wednesday, the 16th day of December, A. D., 1863

WHEREAN, A PETITION FOR AD-Judication of Bankruptey, bearing date the field may of November, A. D., 1883, has been duly ind by JOHN THOMPSON MAX QUARIF, of the Zily of Victoria, Miner; and he having been delared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender inself to David Cameron, Equire, Her Mayesty's likel Justice of the Court of Bankruptey, on VEDNE-DAY, the 6th day of January next, A. J., 1864, at 11 in the forenon, precisely, at the Yourt house, Victoria, and make a full discovery where the creditors are to come prepared to prove heir debts and at the first sitting 1s, choose Asigness and commence the examination of the Sankrupt. WILLIAM HENRY WOODCOCK Y has this day executed a deeo of assignmen for the benefit of his creditors. All persons to whom the said William Woodcock is indeb'ed are requested to send in their claims to Jules David or O Part sons, before the 5th of February next, otherwise they will be precluded from any dividend on the estate. The deed is lying for signature at the office of the control o

Bankrupt.

All persons indebted to said Bankrupt or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. William Culverwell, of Yates street, the Official Assignme, whom the Chief Justice has appointed, and give notice to Robert Bishop, Solicitor, Government street, Victoria.

Exchange Reading NEWS ROOM.

PHE Proprietor in calling the attention of the Subscribers and public of Victoria and its vicinity to the fellowing list of Magazines which are forwarded by Express, direct from London, &c., as soon as published, hopes that his endeavors to supply these and the latest principal News-

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That the corporation of the city of Victoria were placed in a very serious position by the late decision of the Chief Justice, we certainly were inclined to think, in common we suppose with the greater portion of the municipality, and we are free to confess that in our opinion unless the Legislature had come forward to help them out of the dilemma in which they were placed by that decision, the Mayor and Council would, under the ruling of the Chief Justice, have been liable to penalties for having illegally collected taxes, and being under the judgment of the court, deprived of all revenue, were for all practical purposes powerless. We have never for one moment changed our opinion on these points, but very fortunately for our incorporated city, the Legislature have come to the assistance of the Council, and have secured them against all penalties and indemmight have resulted from the decision of the Supreme Court, which, ignoring the power of the Legislature, or hopelessly confounding it with its right to frame laws and delegate powers for particular objects, assumed to itself a jurisdiction never heretofore exercised by any court of law. Our morning contemporary assumes the non-existence of a corporation at the present time in the city, which is more than the Chief Justice by his judgment attempted to assert. The judge has never gone so far as to say that the Incorporation Act is void, nor can we conceive it possible that he would so utterly set the government of the country at defiance, as to dec'are that an Act passed by both branches of the Legislature, and assented to by the Governor, is of no effect, and the same reasoning would prevent any man who undetstands the principles of the British Constitution, from saying that the Legislature had no power to delegate rights of taxation to another. They might have done wrong in exercising that power, but they most unquestionably did execute it, and it is not for those whose duty it is to interpret and administer the law as they find it, to say that the Legislature have exceeded their powers. The Councillors are charged with bringing the Saurema Court into contempt, and the Executive with combining with them to aid them in the same object. To us it appears to be more consonant with the truth, that those who advocate the right of the Supreme Court to arrogate to itself the power of decid ing whether or not the laws passed in the colony are right or wrong, are doing much more to bring the authority of the court into disrepute. Because Mr. Cameron has ruled that a prohibition in the particular case brought before him should issue, it by no means follows that he assumes a right to deny the right of the corporation to exercise any of the functions conferred on the Mayor and Council by the Incorporation Act, for whether or not the persons resident with in the incorporated city were themselves incorporated, distinct power is given to the conneil, (to whose government and control, subject to the provisions of the Incorporation Act, the city is expressly committed.) to make ordinances and by-laws, and more es-pecially to direct in what manner funds required for municipal purposes shall be raised. If the argument that the lands and not the persons occupying them, were incorporated, by the first clause of the Incorporation Act were worth considering, it is completely answered by clause II, which incorporates the Mayor and Council as the governing

upon them as such governing body; to say therefore that the city is unincorporated is simply an assertion, and not even an argumentative fact. We are unwilling to think that our contemporary is wilfully misleading the public and inciting the citizens to resist the action of the Mayor and Council, without due reflection, but when we are seriously told that "the men who have been summoned and cast in costs may enter their action to morrow, we cannot assume that ignorance of the hand bookson corporations would have taught, can have led to such an assertion, and we can only imagine that the power of the legislature to constitute a corporation is again being denied. Our contemporary must be aware that in England no action will lie against any member of a municipal corposupposed duty as a member of such corporation, unless one months notice in writing shall be given to the defendant before the commencement of such action, and we have yet to learn that such a rule does not apply in this colony. Fortunate indeed is it for the city, that such is the case, for were it otherwise, we have doubtless many amongst us unscrupulous enough to take legal proceedings, although in the very face of acts

body of the city, and confers full powers

passing through the legislature which when passed will controvert all such attempts. Our contemporary accuses us of not going into the legal merits of this question. We must confess that to do so seems rather useless. Our legislature have passed a law incorporating the City of Victoria. Our Chief Justice being called upon to interpret the scatter of incorporation by his judgment on a particular question of the power vested in the Council to levy taxes, gives occasion to some to ay that the corporation does not in fact exist, not that the bare statement put an end to the function and legal existence of the Corporation, but if the dictury of the chief justice of the colony is to be taken as law, no matter whether or not it is repugnant to or in contravention of the acts of the legislature, here is at once an end to all legal argument; the chief justice has but to go one step further, and to ignore the power of the legislature " to prevent any further interference with the operation of the Victoria Incorporation Act," and behold the functions of the legislature cease, Sir James Douglas and the members of both Houses become private gentlemen ngain, and the legislative power succumbs to and merges in the judicial. Very right it is to uphold the judges of the land and support them, when their decisions are in accordance with law and justice, but when, as in the instance before us, a judge by his decision controverts the intention of the legislature, and necessitates the passing of a bill to prevent interference with acts passed by the Legislature, it is time for the public to speak out, and to say whether the Governor and Parliament shall rule, or whether a chief justice, sitting as a dictator, shall make the

laws, as well as adjudicate upon them. We have far too much respect for Mr. Cameron to believe it possible that he would assume so utterly false a position as he would place himself in, were he to ignore the acts which the Legislature may pass to strengthen the hands of the Corporation. We cannot for one moment believe that he would go so far as our cotemporary would have him; but the law of the question, if it is to have its origin with the Chief Justice as well as its interpretation, can hardly be taken into con-LONDON HOUSE! Governor, by and with the consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Vancouver Island, have power to enact laws, we cannot fairly enter into a discussion on the

there is much room to doubt that a by-law

passed pursuant to an act of the Legislatur

duly submitted to the Municipal vote pur

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Chronicle, but more fully explained, as w

appose, in the second article, we must admit

that if the Clerk transmitted to His Excel-

ency a defective copy of the by-law passed

by the Council on the 19th December, it was

gross act of carelessness in a matter of s

much moment, but to have attempted to

emedy that error by sending another copy

would have been worse. The only proper

course was to make the document originally

sent a true copy. The sending an incorrec

copy to the Governor would not have vitia-

ed the by-law. No "legal practitioner" in the

world can hold the opinion that a clerical

error in a copy vitiates the deed itself. Our

sontemporary sums up his indement on the

Corporation by declaring that "to-day it is

known that there is no legal Mayor or Coun-

cil in Victoria," and yet the judgment of the

Chief Justice was given a fortnight ago. Has the Caronicle taken all the intervening

time to arrive at the gist of the judgment, and

at last found it to be fatal to the Corporation

as a body ? or was the decision wanting in

orce until it received the ratification of th

able pen of our cotemporary? Who can tell

wake up some morning to find that "to-day" our constitutional government, House of As-

sembly, and everyother component part of it

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

VICTORIA THEATRE

To-Night-Benefit of Miss Belle Douglas

Fifth appearance of Miss V. Howard

ON WEDNESDAY EVENING,

The performance will commence with the Play of

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NOTICE IS HERERY GIVEN TO

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ABRAMAN BERGS TO NOTEY of the public that he has opened the above establishment, and would be stock, being manufactured expressly for this market. Caps on every description may be found in his stock, such as

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Colonist Office.

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A BLACK SETTER BOG ANSWER-ing to the name of "JACK." Any person returning the same to Mr. W. Culvewell will be rewarded. de29 lw

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NEAR THE CATHOLIC CHURCH, A

IV CHAMOIS PURSE, containing a few got coins, and a bunch of keys. Whoever will retur the same to Mr. E. Thomas, Yates street, will be liberally rewarded.

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Notice of Removal.

AFTER THE IST OF JANUARY, 1864, Nr. D Garavella will semove his business from the corner of Orienta Alley and Yatos street to Store street, opposite Mesers January of the Arman of the Arm

MR. CHARLES STREET, GOVERN ment street, has the power of Attorney of Christian Ochiner, of Saunich, during his absence tone Victoria.

CHRISTIAN OCHSNER.

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PIONEER

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Principal

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1 hhd Fine Pale Old Brandy

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1 qr. cask Dark B. B., sample of 11

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OLD TOM.

1 cask Old Tom.

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1 cask real West India Rum,

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Sherry, samples of 2 casks. 4 cask Golden Sherry, Ron-

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aldson, sample of 10 casks

1 cask Old Rum Punch.

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ALE.

2 cs Allsopp's Ale, qts, B by Friend,

cs Allsopp's Ale, pints B by Friend,

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5 cs Hibbert's Stout, quarts, samples

hhd Whitbreads, sample of 25 hhds;

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1 hhd Porter, tinted, sample of 5 hhds

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2 cases St. Jullian, sample of 40 cases

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3 cases Géneva, sample of 200 cases

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1 Double Barreled Gun, (by Robert-

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3 cases Champagne Cider, 1 sample of 25 cases;

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Without the Slightest Reserve K M THE FOLLOWING

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One full-sized Lot, securely fenced, 60 by 120 feet on Kane street.

Two Lots Nos. 13 and 16, part of Suburban Lot in Esquimalt Town No. 9069-One full-sized Lot in Yates

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One Lot corner of Cormorant and Cook streets, full-sized; no im-

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One Lot in V. W., Lot 60, Block G. full-sized. Nos. 5 and 6-Beacon Hill, full-sized

Lots, facing the hill; 61 by 121. Citrate of Magnesia, One small Lot, Cook street, 30 by 90.

Subdivision Lot No. 6 of Suburban Lot; 30 by 90.

Block F. E., Esquimalt Town, running from Smith street to Bay and facing the Bay, about 300 feet; is about being cut up into 1 hhd Bass, sample of 15 hhds; 19 separate lots, plans and particulars of which will be with many other lots advertised on the 7th prox.

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The terms they propo c to sell on arc the nost liberal that could possibly be offered to sample of 40 cases; most liberal that could possibly be offered to THE UNDERSIGNED the public, viz :-Twenty-five per Cent at sale; one-

Private Sale, fourth at 6 months; one-fourth at 1 year, and one-fourth at 2 years with interest at one per Cent per month. Full particulars and numbers, with

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Wines, Spirits, &c., &c.

Lots in Pembroke street,

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Lots in Pandora Avenue
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Water Lot in Constance street
Business Lot in Johnson street
Business Lot in Johnson street
Water Lot and Strees, on the Public Park
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Water Lot Street, on the Dana de Government building
Handsome Dwelling House and Lot in James Bay
One Acre Lot-continuation of Laudora Avenue
Several S and Boarce plots on the Dean etatle
Do do do on Todd's Farm
To Lesse on Government street, near Fort street,
17 or 43 lect of valuable store property. THIS DAY,

Wednesday, 30th inst

To the Wine and Spirit Merchants, Publicans and others, of the City of Victoria, V. I., and British Columbia.

DANIEL SCOTT & CO. Have been instructed by the Importers to sell by

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Mr. Jungerman's, Yates street. WEDNESDAY, the 30th Inst.,

Daniel Scott's Sale-Continued. NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. The undermentioned Goods, viz :

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Wednesday, Dec. 30th, '63 At 12 o'clock, Noon,

By Order of the Assignees of T. J. Skinner, Esq.,

At Constance Farm,

Champagne, J. A. McCREA

Is directed to sell

Live Stock, Cows and Calves, 2 yearling Heif-

1 yearling Bull, 3 two year old Heif-1 pair Work Oxen, 1 two year old

5 cs Crabbes fine case do, 1 three year old Filly; The above are all of choice import-1 case Ginger Brandy, somed breeds.

IMPLEMENTS, &C.,

1 Corn Drill, 1 Malt Mill, 1 Wagon 2 Carts, 1 Plough, 1 Washing Ma-chine, 1 Iron Winch;

1 Block and Tackle, Ox Yokes, Bows and Chains; Part Stack Hay, quantity of Potatoes;

Whisky, samples of 100 cs, About 2 Acres Turnips, in ground; 5 cs Gillon's Mountain Dew, Whisky, samples of 190 cs, About 3 cers Barley, not threshed: About 3 acres Barley, not thrashed; Whisky, samples of 50 cs 1 Double Gun and case, 1 case Pistols 4 csk Campbellton Whisky, amples of 54 csks. 1 English Kitchen Range, Sundry Slaughter House Gear, &c.

Sale Positive...... Terms Cash.

N. B. Stages will start from Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express Office at 11 Fare each way, \$1.

Thursday, Dec. 31, '63 At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

TO-MORROW,

1 qr. cask Cozenas', sample of 5 qr. J. A. McCREA

AT SALESROOM, WHARF STREET,

Ex Bark W. B. Scranton, 9 cases Cal. Hams;

3 cases do sample of 50 cases. 9 " Shoulders; Port Wine, sample of qr. to sample of 6 " Bacon;

30 " J. & H. Lard, in 10-lb tins ; 1 qr. cask Offley's, 3 grape, sample of 10 bales Straw Paper;

50 boxes Adamantine Candles; 10 bbls Superior Corned Beef: 3 cases Cliquot Champagne

10 kegs New Isthmus Butter; 5 cases Heavy Nailed Boots ; And a variety of other Goods;

-ALSO-

By Order Allen Francis, Esq. U. S. CONSUL,

ONE GOLD WATCH: LOT OF CLOTHING;

The effects of Daniel Elger, deceased.

3 cs Barclay's Stout, quarts, sample of On Friday, Jan. 8, '64,

I AM INSTRUCTED BY THE OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR,

THE STOCK OF THE

BRITISH COLUMBIA Royal Mail Company, (LIMITED,)

-CONSISTING OF-

3 Stage Coaches:

10 Sets Double Concord Harness; I Let of Land, wth Barn. All at Lillooet : 1 Freight Wagen, at Pemberter Portage;

34 Head Horses, at 100-mile House, above Lillooet; 12 Head Horses, at New Westminster

In VICTORIA 12 Head Horses;

--- Sets Harness : 2 Stage Coaches;

Will be Sold on a Credit TERMS AT SALE.

And various other Articles.

N. B .- The whole will be sold in Victoria. J. A. McCREA, Auctioneer

Eggs! Eggs! Eggs!!

-FOR-New Year's.

FRESH, \$1 per Dozen.

Just received by steamer Eliza Anderson and steamship Oregon.

PIREMI CALIFORNIA EGGS, HANIS,
Bacon, Lard and Butter, Also, a large quantity of Fruit (green and dried), Lemons and Limes,
all of which the undersigned is selling off cheap
during the Holidays.
Call and examine for yourselves before purchasing elsewher.
All the above will be sold at wholesale or retail. JOHN HARRIMAN.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. P. M. BACKUS.

Auctioneer and Commission Merchant No. 6. Commercial Row, Wharf street



DR. RADWAY'S PILLS.

EVACUATION FROM THE BOWELS
IS ALWAYS SECURED.

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Newly Discovered Principles in Purgatives.

Dr. Radway's Pills are the best Purgative Dilts in the world, and the only Vegetable Substitute for Calomel or slereary over discovered. They are composed for VELETABLE EXTRACTS FROM ROOTS, HERBS, PLANTS, GUMS, SEEDS, FLOWERS, BARKS, PLANTS, GUMS, SEEDS, FLOWERS, BARKS, PRANTS, AND WEEDS, PREPARED IN VACCO.

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Their Great Combinations.

IN SUDDEN ATTACKS OF Grammation of the Bowels or Romach, Liver, Spicen, Paness or Rott-sex, Bilous Choile of Hillous Fever, Exploitant Congestive Fever, Small Box, Measles, or Surfel Fever, IX TO ERGIT OF DR. RADWAYS REGULATING PILES WILL PURIS, THESE DISEASES FROM THE SYSTEM IN SIX HOURS.

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Persons afflicted with Piles, may rely on a positive cure by

COATED WITH GUM.

Dr. Radway's Pilis are elegantly Coated with Gum, are free from taste or smell; can be taken at all times and earli occasions. No danger will result from codts, if exposed to wet or damp weather after taking these pilis.

SIX OF RADWAY'S PILIS

Have secured a viscrous evacuation, in severe cases of Inflammation of the Bowels, Paralysis, &c., after fortion Oil, Harlem Oil, injections and other means completely failed. A dose of Radway's Pilis will remove all observations and box. Price after persons, Proceedings of the Complete of Radway's Pilis will remove all observations and box. Price and Storekeepers.

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LAMPS, CRYSTAL,

China and Crockery!

COAL OIL LUSTRES

-AND-

D. L. has opened this week the third Shipmen of these Goods for the season, comprising every

In this department, and at prices greatly reduced. P. S .- D. Lindsay's Lamps and Lustres

are all Guaranteed Perfect or will be

FIRST BRANDS, WHOLESALE.

IN HONOR OF THE AMERICAN EMANCIPATION.

Fort Street. THERE WILL BE AN ANNIVERSARY DINNER

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One grain of the extract of the melicinal properties of obwyld Pills, possess a greater curative power over distribution and the process of the melicinal properties of than a thorsand of the create and, inert materials that their into all other pills in use. These Pills are compounded the active meetically reported of the Rots, Herbs, Pants, owers, Gams, &c. of which they are composed. One does ill prove their superiority to all other pills. They URGE, CLEANSE, PURIFY, HEAL,

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and REGULATE THE SYSTEM. They are more certain and thorough than the Drastic Pills of Albest, or Croton or Harlem Oll, or Elaterium; and more conting and healing than Senna, or Bhubarb, or Tamarinds, or Castor Oll.

one dose of Pr. Radway's Pills will cleanse the intestin rd, and purge from the bowels all offending and retaine nors, as thoroughly as lobella or the best approve ette will cleanse the stomach, without producing inflan STRAINING,

DEFIER THAN CALOMEL OR BLUE PHL.

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They exercise a more powerful influence over the liver and
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Christmas!

D. I.INDHAY, FORT ATREET, REspectfully calls the attention of purchasers of
the above articles to his prerent stock, a considerable portion of which has been opened up this
month, and is especially adapted to this season of
the year.

Table Lamps, NEW, USEFUL AND ELEGANT

Coal Oil Lamp Chimneys, AND LAMP GLOBES,

D. LINDSAY, Crockery & Glass Depot & Lamp Factor

NOTICE.

CIVEN BY THE FRIENDS OF FREE.

COMPANYS HALL, on View street, at 20 clock p.

m. Addresses will be made by several Gentlemen
in the example. MUSIC.

Tickets, admitting Ludy and Gentleman \$3.50, Tickets to be had at the following gentlemen's Stores: H. Bahler, Government street, Brown a Matthews, Government street, J. Francis, Bull's Head, Yalers street. A SALUTE

Will be fired on Beacon Hill at 12 o'clock m. 25 tf

Fort street, opposite Heal's Boarding House, be ween Douglas and Broad streets. de 2 lm

COMMERCIAL.

Auction Sales This Day.

DANIEL SCOTT will sell this day a large

assortment of Choice Wines and Liquors, com-prising Brandy, Whisky, Old Tom, Sherry, Port Wine, Rum, Ales, Porter, Champagne, etc. I A McCREA will sell at 12 o'clock noon. y order of the assignees of T. J. Skinner, Esq., Constance Farm, Live Stock, viz. Cows Calves-leifers, Work Oxen, Colt and Filly, together with 1 Malt Mill, a lot of Farming Utensils, Tur nips in ground, Hay, Potatoes. Oats, Barley, etc.

FROM THE SOUND .- The steamer Eliza Anderson arrived yesterday morning, with passengers and a cargo of live stock, produce; etc., valued a FOR SAN FRANCISCO.-Lhe schooner Rebecca

Capt. McAlmond, sailed last evening for San Francisco, with a cargo of hardware, liquors and sun-dry merchandise, valued at \$2,000. The schooner F. P. Green is fast fitting up for the same port. FROM NAN.IMO -The schooners Meg Mer

schooner Royal Charlie in this harbor, with 30 tons of coal to J. T. Little. FOR NAVAINO.-The bark Ocean Bird, Cant

Blake, sailed yesterday morning, and the ship Saracen was off the harbor last night, both bound to Nanaimo to load coal for San Francisco. FOR NEW WESTMINSTER.-The steamers En-

terprise and Lillooct left yesterday for Fraser River.

FROM SAN JUAN .- The sloop Thorndyke arrived yesterday, with a number of hogs, etc., from San Juan.

STOCK EXCHANGE BOARD.

VICTORIA, V. I., 29th December, 1363.
Queen Charlotte Mining Co., 5 shares sold at \$60, buyer 30 days, 5 shares sold at \$1.5, regular way.
Sangster Copper Co., 100 shares sold at \$1.15, regular way.
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Skidegate Bay Copper Co., \$50 asked; no offers.
Hope Silver Mining Co., \$20 asked; no offers.
Gold Harbor Co., \$30 asked; no offers.
Gas Co., \$135 asked; \$120 offered.
Soques Creek Silver Mining Co., \$65 asked.
Cowichan Copper Co., \$15 premium offered; \$25 asked.
By order.

A. P. MAIN

Francisco Bk Pilot, Robinson, Nanaimo Slp Native, Smith, Stanich Starr Eliza Adutrison, Finch, Port Angelos Slp Alarm, Hollins, Nanaimo Slp Alpha, George, Nanaimo CLEARED.

Dec. 29 -Slp John Thornton, Clark, San Juar Stmr Eliza Anderson, Finch, Port Angelos Sch Rebecca, McAlmond, San Francisco Slp Alarm, Hollins, Nanaimo

On board the sloop Red Rover, off Sangste

On board the sloop Red Rover, off Sangster Island, on Saturday, the 19th instant, of bronchits, Capt. C. E. Stuart, formerly in the employ of the Honotable the Hudson Bay Company.

MURDER AT PORT LUDLOW, W. T.

A passenger who arrived yesterday from the Sound on the steamer Eliza Anderson has furnished us with the following particulars of an atrocious murder committed at Port Ludlow:

Batween midnight and one o'clock on Christopher and the steam of the favorite ballads.

Christmas morning a carpenter named Kelly, who had been employed on the mill, was in the Port Ludlow Hotel, when some disturb-ance arose at the gambling table. The landdord, Mr. Brunn, requested Kelly to leave the place, which he refused to do, and upon the landlord proceeding to eject him, Kelly stabled him in the abdomen with a longbladed knife. The weapon penetrated through the poor man's entrails, severing the lower portion of his liver and entering his kidneys He fell into the arms of a man named John Cornish, bleeding profusily. A boat was despatched to Port Townsend for a physician and to Whidby Island for his wife and child. Dr. O'Brien reached the spot in the atternoon and immediately declared the case hopeless. Mr. Brunn expired on the following morning, having previously made his will. His wife and child arrived after he had breathed his last. The body was placed in a plunger and conveyed to Port Townsend, where a post-mortem examination and inquest was held and a verdict of wilful murder was returned against Kelly, the jury expressing a desire that he should have no further trial. It was only at the dying man's urgent request that the populace were restrained from inflicting summary vengeance upon the culprit at Port Ludlow. Kelly was secured and would await his trial. He betrayed little or no remorse at the atrocity of the deed, and Cornish, bleeding profusily. A boat was despatched to Port Townsend for a physicno remorse at the atrocity of the deed, and remarked that he did not know why he remarked that he did not know why he stabbed Mr. Brunn, as he meant to wreak vengeance on a man called "Poker Jack.' The instrument of death, which he coolly drew from the bleeding man's body and wiped on his hands, bore signs of having been just sharpened.

OREGON EXCHANGES .- By favor of Capt. Finch, we are in receipt of Portland papers Finch, we are in receipt of Portland papers to Christmas day. They contain no later war uews, and are destitute of intelligence of interest. Snow had disappeared from the Dalles region, and the weather is represented as very pleasant. A special term of Court will be held the first week in January by Judge Parks of Islaho, for the trial of the parties accused of the murder of Magnder and others. Mr. Waldron, with Miss Fanny Morgan and the rest of his theatrieal company had returned from a visit to the Dalles, and were again performing at the Willamettee with the parties accused of the magnetic to the Dalles, and were again performing at the Willamettee wisted, and loud talk was heard about lyuching the murderer, but bester counsels presented the murder of the proposed with the work of the parties and were again performing at the Willamettee with the parties and the proposed with the parties and were again performing at the Willamettee with the parties and the proposed with the parties are proposed to the proposed with the parties are proposed to the proposed with the parties accused of the murder of the parties are proposed to the proposed with will be held the first week in January by Judge Parks of Islaho, for the trial of the parties accused of the murder of Magnuder and others. Mr. Waldron, with Miss Fanny Morgan and the rest of his theatrical company had returned from a visit to the Dalles, and were again performing at the Willamette Theatre. The Overland wires were still down but information had reached Portland that they soon would be in working order.

EXERGITIC .—The Sansum Copper Mining Company, having disposed of all their stock which was put in the market, have now advertised for contractors to tender for running a tunnel and sinking a shaft at their mine, and will on Friday morning despatch authorised persons to show the ground, and give all necessary information.

Committed.—John Duncan sentenced by W. H. Franklin, Esq., at Nanaimo to two months' imprisonment for giving spirits to an Indian, was yesteyday committed to jail.

Sepplying Spinits .- David Stewart who stood remanded from the 26th inst., upon a again brought before Mr. Pemberton yester day, and ordered to pay a fine of \$50 or in default to suffer four months' imprisonment with hard labor.

CITY COUNCIL Tuesday, Dec. 29.

CITY POUND.

hereafter subject himself to heavy losses in

this and through ensuing seasons the blame

held at Nanaimo on the 24th inst., on the

attack of bronchitis, and the jury returned a

DESERTION .- Elijah Kemp, the marine who

had a narrow escape in the assize court last

PORT TOWNSEND, Dec. 28, 1863.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST, SIR —As the holidays are at hand, I presume you would like to hear from this city, famous by its being in times past blockaded by the orders of Vistor Simily so Under the being in the colors.

of Victor Smith, so I take the liberty of drop-ping you a few "Sound" items. News hav-ing arrived here that an accident of terrible

ing the murderer, but better counsels pre-

vailed and no attempt was made to violate the law. News was also brought in that a man had just been shot on Whiddy Island

W. W. Armstrong has received the appointment of Provost Marshal, and will soon begin to enrol the puglistic portion of our population, and in the meantime you may look for

aport had occurred at Port Angelos, nu-

n officers.

verdict accordingly.

Present-His Worship the Mayor and ouncillors Lewis, McDonald, Wallace, Ew-Mr. Wallace observed that he had noticed Mr. Wallace observed that he had noticed in the papers that the pound keeper, who had tendered his resignation, which was accepted at the last regular meeting, had sold some of the animals impounded, and he inquired by what right those animals were sold when that functionary was no longer in ex-His Worship explained that the Pound Keeper was required to wind up his accounts and the sales made by him were necessary

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST: -- People in England who may wish for information respecting Vancouver Island or British Columba, must be sadly puzzled between the very conflicting accounts occasionally published in newspaper correspondence, or by pamphelteters, and, if unable to obtain intelligence from any other source, must find it a difficult task to believe anything about these Colonies beyond one fact that such places do exist. While on the one hand, very extravagant and highly colored representations have sometimes been made in their favor by parties interested perhaps in promotting emigraties interested perhaps in promoting emigra-tion, on the other the most untruthful and damaging statements have been circulated y individuals who having emigrated with THE REAL ESTATE TAX AND THE CITY DEomantic dreams of immense fortunes awaiting them, are startled and disturbed by the first difficulties they meet, and being wholly unprepared for sober realities, return in disgust to the country which their tander natures ought never to have left, and in revenge for Mr. Lewis rose to ask the Council to form Mr. Lewis rose to ask the Council to form themselves into a Committee of the whole to go round the town and solicit tax payers to come forward and pay the Real Estato Tax. He thought by exerting a little energy the debentures due at the end of the year could

their disappointment dip their pens in the bitterest of gall and rush into print.
"The climate of British Columbia is so debentures due at the end of the year could be met.

His Worship said that he believed from what he had heard, that many intended to come forward to-day to pay up, and he felt satisfied the money would be forthcoming to enable the Council to meet their obligations.

Mr. Lewis said he could not bring forward a motion to that effect, but he hoped the Council would lend their assistance, as much could be done in that way.

The Council expressed their readiness to do all in their power, and the subject dropped.

Council adjourned to Thursday next at 2 p. m.

REPRESENTATION FOR COMOX.

The inhabitants of the new electoral district of Comox seem determined to take immediate advantage of the passage of the late Bill by the colonial legislature, conferring on them, in common with Cowichan and and esolate forests destitute of birds of song, and resonance of the them world," writes one. "The climate of British Columbia is ro splendid, so magnificent, that it is worth a plantile, and even the dangers of a journey, and even the

LOOK ON THIS PICTURE AND ON THAT.

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Section College encouragement from the public of Victoria. they can depend to guide them in selecting a We cannot expect that any manager will these colonies able to give a viva voce description of them, and to advocate their claims an attempt to cater for our amusement and efore a public audience, would certainly be ell received, and his influence, if faithfully gratification, and if the doors of the theatre exerted, would soon be felt here in the influx are found closed throughout the remainder of of the men and the capital which are so in-lispensable to our progress, and to the deve-opment of the resources of the country.

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STILL MORE COPPER.

NANAIMO, Dec. 26, 1863.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST—SIR: A party of experienced miners have just arrived here from a prospecting tour on the North West coast with some rich specimens of copper ore. From a vein of copper or not not side of Qualicum, the richest specimens have been obtained, and when a grant of land has been obtained, it will be thoroughly prospected. obtained it will be thoroughly prospected, and one of the party will proceed to Victoria THE LATE CAPT. STUART .- An inquest was to form a company. The miners are well known at Nanaimo and are fully competent body of the late Capt. Stuart, which had from experience to undertake the working of the lead, being all practical miners, and having been similarly engaged at Lake Subeen conveyed from Sangster Island. Dr. Grant's evidence went to show that the de-ceased had died from the effects of a severe perior, and other places working copper.

Exciting Times in Nicaragua-Marrow Escape of the Ex-President.

Lieut. Smith of the Saginaw, writing from San Juan del Sud, by the last steamer, furweek, was charged in the Police Court yester nishes us with the following account of late day with desertion and ordered to be given events in Nicaragua:

"I am going to tell you an adventure. Barrios, the President of this Republic, has been hunted like a wild beast through this country for the last six weeks, and they had orders to shoot him on sight. Having got acquainted with his wife and family here, a ocquainted with his wife and family here, a very nice lady, we all took an interest in her, and as our own Gaptain said he could not protect him, the friends of Barrios in this place sent for me and asked if I would help to get him off. I told them, certainly. So one night they got him in town, and gave a ball and asked our officers to it. We all went—that is, all the ward-room officers—and we all carried revolvers. The President is a man as large as I am, and one of his logs is perfectly useless, on account of a severe wound. When everything was ready, I took the President on my right arm about half a mile through the streets. There were guards stationed at every corner, looking out for import had occurred at Port Angelos, numerous were the reflections cast upon V. Smith, wishing that he had been crushed beneath the ruins. Sympathy here for the sufferers at Poit Angelos was below par, rejoicing appearing to be uppermost in the thoughts of the people, that the custom house would be removed back to this place.—Christmas eve came round, and with it a numerous class of the dancing fraternity arrived, who assembled at the Masonic Hall, and there enjoyed themselves hugely, in tripping the light fantastic toe. Among the number, gayest among the gay, was our quondam friend, Licutenant Jester, who is now recruiting at this place for the stationed at every corner, looking out for him, as there was a reward of \$3,000 on his head. All the officers kept around me, in case of a fight. I was the only man in the case of a fight. I was the only man in the party who was strong enough to support him and get along through the streets. A boat from the English frigate Sutlej was in waiting for him and he ombarked in it. His wife had given him up for lost. I promised her to save him if I could, and, thank God! we did it. His Scorctary (Lasals is his name) we dressed up as a saitor, and got him aboard of our ship. He also went on the English frigate. He was sentenced to be shot, too."—
Ally California.

VILLAGE LIFE IN RUSSIA -"The houses of VILLAGE LIFE IN RUSSIA—"The houses of the peasants are all constructed of wood, and their great enemy is fire. To guard against its ravages, in some of the villages I saw painted on the houses, here a bucket, there a ladder, then an exe, and so on—those being the different implements which the occupiers are bound to have ready, and to bring with them on the alarm of fire being given. As a series of the state of the st are bound to have ready, and to bring with them on the alarm of fire boing given. As education is rather a scarce commodity among the working classes, these symbols are used as a substitute for writing, which would be useless. In each village, however small, there is usually a chapel. This building contains a pieture of the Saviour and Virgin, and is opened only once a year by the priest, the day on which he does so being a fixed one, and kept in the annual fete-day of the village. The people are not allowed to go into the building, but stand outside worshipping. The men rarely pass it without taking off their hats and crossing themselves.—Moor's Visit to Russia.

months' imprisonment for giving spine to an Indian, was yesterday committed to jail.

Also Ciephane, an Indian, sent to take his trial for cutting and wounding Quinas, a Nanaimo Indian, with intent to do him bodily harm.

Nanaimo Indian, with intent to do him bodily harm. Burglary .- On Monday evening a house thought may lead to the detection of the offender or offenders.

Shirking the Question.—Master: Whaur was the text the day? Jock: I dinna ken; I was owre lang o' gaun ia. Master; What was the conclusion? Jock: I dinna ken; I cam' oot afore he was dune. Master: What did he say about the middle o't then? Jock: I d' - lan. I sleepit a' the time.

LETTER FROM MEXICO

MANZANILLO, Nov. 27, 1863. EDITORS ALTA.—We have had a ha time of it. A gang of robbers, who called themselves "pronunciados," entered our port a week ago, and after gathering up all the a week ago, and after gathering up an the weapons they could get hold of, and some boats and provisions, they laid a contribution of \$8,000 on Moss. Oolling & Ohlmeyer—the only large house here. As the whole amount did not exist in eash they carried off amount did not exist in eash they carried off a week ago, and after gathering up an increase weapons they could be some a some boats and provisions, they laid a contribution of \$8,000 on Moss. Oolling & Ohlmeyer—the only large house here. As the whole amount did not exist in eash they carried off a weapons they could be a weapons they could get hold of, and some boats and provisions, they laid a contribution of \$8,000 on Moss. Oolling & Ohlmeyer—the only large house here. As the whole amount did not exist in eash they carried off a weapons they could be a weapons to be a weapons they could be a weapons they could be a weapons to be a weapons they could be a weapons to be a weapon a lot of dry goods from their store. When will these outrages cease? Will the French, cer the Emperor Maximilian, ever be able to make the Mexicans an orderly nation?

100 Waterproof Pilot Jackets, from \$475 each The American schooler T. A. Bayard was wrecked off Cape Corrientes, with a full cargo of Brazil wood on board, and bound to your part. The master and crew (expendent) your port. The master and crew (except one sailor, who perished,) were saved. They will go up by this steamer. MOYEMENTS OF THE FRENCH—COMMONFORT WORTHY THE ATTENTION OF BUYERS

KILLED. The Mexican mail of the 21st inst. came

The Mexican mail of the 21st inst. came in this morning. She brought the new that the French had finally advanced on the interior. Four thousand men occupied Maravatio, twenty-five leagues from Morelia. The constitutional troops, (five thousand strong,) retired to Judeparapeo, where some defiles offer a good chance for defence. Twelve thousand French troops, and the Mexican auxiliaries under General Mejia, occupied Queretaro about the same time, on their wayflowards Guanajuto, the liberal army their way towards Guanajuto, the liberal army withdrawing without firing a shot. Both feats would have been of little consequence, if the whole country had not been set to mourning by the loss of General Comonfort, who was surrounded, with his staff, by a advance guard of Mejia, and near the gates SIGNNESS THAT HAS NO NAME.—Thousands suffer, who have no specific disease. A sluggish digestion, a semi-torpid liver, inactive bowels—are responsible for these indescribable, but not the less REAL and annoying aliments. To restore the inert organs to healthy activity, they have only to resort BRISTOL'S SUGAR-COATED PHLIS. B. Realmin Wallace, of Botton, Mass., gives it is in sepinion, that "three has a lack of vital energy in the stomach and its dependencies, and squeral weakness and depression are apparent, without any distinctly marked form of disease." All who suffer from physical properties of the stomach of th of Celaya, but one station from Queretaro. They defended themselves with the utmost bravery, but every one of they was killed by

The Regencia considers the evasive au-

swer of the Arendake to the Mexican Com-misioners as equal to the acceptance of the crown, and is making preparations to receive His Imperial Majesty in the beginning of spring. COMMERCIAL MATTERS. Trade was at a complete stand-still in the City of Mexico, as no goods could arrive from Vera Cruz with any degree of safety. Even a convoy of merchandise and specie worth \$35,000 from Cuernavaca was robbed

near San Agustin, at a distance of six leagues from the Capital. Exchange on London 464c; Of General Negrete, embracing, already 2000 men, had been increased with 500 me well mounted, which President Juarez had despatched to the Vera Cruz road, not ex-

pecting perhaps that the French would advance so soon on his own quarters. THE INDIANS.

Residing in the mountains, between this place, Colima and Tepic, being of rather a reactionary mood, on account of the great influence which the clergy still possess over their minds, keep this part of the country continually in a state of excitement, and as the razzins which they occasionally make under some daring leaders (like the one mentioned above) often proves profitable, the small and defenceless villages and hamlets are entirely at their mercy and their resiare entirely at their mercy and their residents have all been ruined. S. A. THE WINTER PALACE AT ST. PETERS BURGE

THE WINTER PALACE AT ST. PETERBURGH.—The fr. nt of the palace extends upwards of seven hundred English feet, is almost square, and is three stories high. We were shown a corner room looking on the river, which his present Majesty uses as his own paticular one, and where he transacts his daily work. When the imperial family are residing here, it is said that mayards of six thousand records. it is said that upwards of six thou and people are quartered in the building. The room, or rather hall, in which the Empress receives her guests, has its walls almost covered with gold; but St. George's Hall, in which there is a magnificent throne, is the chief apartment. It is one hundred and fifty feet long. by sixty feet wide, and although not appearing to advantage, in consequence of the numbers of workmen engaged in the decorations, is one of the most splendid and noble apartments we had ever seen, and it is in this that the Emperor receives the foreign ambassadors. Near this hall is a picture gallery of the generals who served during the invasion of 1812, and the subsequent battles, and beyond it is the Field-Marshals' gallery, in which "our Duke" has a prominent place. In a part of the palace, away from these grand public rooms, we were shown into a small apartment which the late Emperor used as his bed room, and in which the died. The furniture was simple enough, with a small camp bed without curtains, at the head of by sixty feet wide, and although not appear-ing to advantage, in consequence of the numcamp bed without curtains, at the head of which, on the wall, was a picture of a favor-ite daughter, whilst on his writing and toilet tables everything, down to his pocket hand-kerchief, was left as he had used them just

Think before his death.

Think before you Spend — Do you really need the article? It is probably a pretty tritle in dress in furaiture; but what solid benefit will it be to you? Or it is some luxury for tno table, that you can as well do without? Thick before you spend your money. Or you need a new carpet, new sofa, new chairs, new bedstend, or new dress; you are tempted to buy something a little handsomer than you had intended, and "It's only a trifle more, and see how far prettict' is." But, before you purchase, stop to think. Will you be the better a year hence, much less in old age, for having squandered your money? Is it not wiser to "lay by something for a rainy day?" All these luxuries gratify yo only for the moment; you sono tire of them, and their only permanent effect is to consume your means. It is by such little extravagances, not much separately, but tle extravagances, not much the extravagances, not much separately, or ruinous in the aggregate, that the great ma-jority of families are kept comparatively poor. The first lesson to learn is to den yourself useless expenses; and this first step towards learning this leason is, to think be fore you spend.

GOSSIPS AND HOW THEY ARE MADE. -- I at Gossips and How they are Madre.—I am inclined to think that gossips male and be male do not begin by being malicious. This is the way it happens: Their minds being uninformed and uncellivated, and their own lives meagre and barren of interest, they naturally fall to watching those about them, to see if they cannot extract a little pleasurable excitement from the contemplation of their neighbors. The task "grows by what it feeds on," and lacking the elements of the marvellous at any time, what easier than for them to supply it, and make the story a round marvellous at any time, what easier than for them to supply it, and make the story a round one at any sacrifice? In proportion as the mind is cultivated, things, not persons, eagage its attention. Had women as many resources as men, female gossips would be scarce in proportion. Mothers, not only for this but for other obvious reasons, should carly cultivate a taste for reading in their daughters. A young girl has then a resource against the corroding rust of unemployed hours, not only in youth but in her old age, if unsurrounded by domestic ties.—Fanny Fern.

Not so GREEN.—At a supper-table on board one of the Mississippi boats, a Boston exquisite said to a raw Jonsthan scated by his side, whom he wanted to hand him the butter, "Buttah, sah, I see it is," replied Jonathan.—"Buttah, sah, I say!" fiercely repeated the dandy.—"I know it—very good, a first-rate article,"—"Buttah, I tell you!" thundered the dandy. in lender toors. thundered the dandy, in louder tones.-"Wall, gosh, all Jernsalem, what of it?" no yelled the downeaster, getting up his dander in turn. "Yer didn't think I took it for lard?"

An aged spinster was wont to console her

An aged spinster was wont to console her-self for her disa ppointments in the matrimo-nial line by the following reflection—' If she had been married, and had had a baby, and the poor thing had crawled into the oven and burnt itself to death, what a horrible thing it would have been,

Born Each for Each.—The very virtues of woman, not less than her faults, fit her for her attachment to man. There is no man so bad, as not to find some pitying woman who will admire and love him; and no man so wise, but that he shall find some woman equal to his comprehension, ready to understand him and to strengthen him. With such a woman he will grow more tender, duetile, and appreciative; the man will be more of woman, she of man.—Family Herald. AGENT FOR THE National Mills Flour 100 bbls. Baker's Extra in Hf-Sacks,

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